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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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In re:)	FCC - MAILROOM
Amendment of Section 73.202(b))) MM Docke	t No. 04-135
Table of Allotments) RM 10949	
RM 10950		
FM Broadcast Stations)	
Shenandoah, Virginia		

COMMENTS IN SUPPORT OF NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING

Starboard Media Foundation, Inc. ("Starboard") by Counsel, and pursuant to Sections 1.415 and 1.420 of the Commission's Rules and the instructions set forth in *In re Amendment of Section 73 202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Various)*, DA 04-1027 (Released April 19, 2004), hereby respectfully submits its Comments in support of the above-captioned Notice of Proposed Rule Making (NPRM) for reservation of FM Channel 296A at Shenandoah, Virginia for noncommercial educational (NCE) use

Starboard supports Sister Sherry Lynn Foundation, Inc.'s Petition for reservation of Channel 296A at Shenandoah, Virginia for NCE use. Starboard, as a non-profit organization, has a general interest in reservation of FM Channels for NCE use, and has filed several Petitions of its own for reservation of a number of vacant FM Channels for NCE use. Starboard believes that the proposed reservation of Channel 296A at Shenandoah, Virginia would provide needed, additional noncommercial service to that community and the surrounding service area. Starboard intends to file an application for this frequency, if it is reserved for NCE use.

No of Copies rec'd 074 List ABCDE Starboard notes that reservation of this channel was also requested by American Family Association. Starboard also supports the Petition of this entity for reservation of channel for NCE use The additional request, together with Starboard's instant Comments, serves to reinforce Fine Arts Radio, Inc.'s argument for reservation of this channel for NCE use.

The instant Comments are timely filed prior to the June 10, 2004 deadline for such Comments in support of the reservation.

Accordingly, the foregoing considered, Starboard respectfully requests that the Commission grant the Petition of Sister Sherry Lynn Foundation, Inc. for reservation of Channel 296A at Shenandoah, Virginia for NCE use.

Respectfully submitted,

Starboard Media Foundation, Inc.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Denise B. Moline, of the law firm of Denise B. Moline, Esq., hereby certify that I have caused to be served, this 20th day of May, 2004 a copy of the foregoing "Comments in Support of Notice of Proposed Rule Making" by First Class Mail, fees prepaid, on the following:

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